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**Amendments to the Claims:** 

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:** 

Claims 1 through 84 (canceled)

Claim 85 (previously presented) An architectural molding for mounting at the intersection of a wall and a ceiling, comprising:

an intersection of a wall and ceiling, wherein the wall and ceiling are substantive orthogonal to one another, a single extruded monolithic closed cell plastic foam member mounted at the intersection of the wall and the ceiling, the foam member having a front side including a decorative front surface profile, a rear side, a first longitudinally extending outer edge between the front side and the rear side, a second longitudinally extending outer edge between the front side and the rear side and spaced from the first longitudinally extending outer edge and forming a central portion therebetween, and the plastic foam member being resiliently compressible and resiliently flexible;

a first layer of adhesive affixed to a first portion of the rear side adjacent the first longitudinally extending outer edge; and

a second layer of adhesive affixed to a second portion of the rear side adjacent the second longitudinally extending outer edge, the second layer of adhesive being oriented about perpendicular to the first layer of adhesive, wherein one of the first and second layers of adhesive is attached to the wall and the other layer of adhesive is attached to the ceiling;

the plastic foam member being supported in a position such that the central portion extends between the wall and ceiling and is spaced from the intersection of the wall and the ceiling without deformation of the shape thereof.

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Claim 86 (previously presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said

front side is corona treated to accept paint.

Claim 87 (previously presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said

front side is pre-primed to accept paint.

Claims 88-89 (canceled)

Claim 90 (previously presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said

plastic foam member is made of a material selected from the group consisting of polyethylene,

rubber latex, polypropylene, polyurethane and polyvinyl chloride.

Claim 91 (previously presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said

plastic foam member is made of polyethylene foam.

Claim 92 (previously presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein said

plastic foam member has a density of less than 9 lbs./cu. ft.

Claim 93 (canceled)

Claim 94 (previously presented) The architectural molding according to claim 85, wherein the

decorative front surface profile is a crown molding profile.

Claims 95-97 (canceled)

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